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Examiner Budd,

Attached ple:se find the following documents:

- Amendment Transmittal; 1.
- Response C; and 2.
- Limited Recognition Under 37 CFR §10.9(b).

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Perine, et al.

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US-4432-2

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Application No.: 09/779,373

Filed: February 7, 2001

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Group: 2834

Title: ENERGY EFFICIENT

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITT

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. SRI1P029).

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PATENT

In re application of: Pelrine et al.

Atty Docket No.: SR1P029/4432-2

Application No.: 09/779,373

Examiner: Budd, Mark Osborne

Filed: February 7, 2001

Group: 2834

Title: Energy Efficient Electroactive Polymers and

Electroactive Polymer Devices

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RESPONSE C

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Dear Six:

In response to the Office Action dated April 9, 2004 please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this рарст.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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